

## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

| In re l                  | Patent Application of  | )                               |  |  |  |  |  |
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| Kenne                    | th G. NOGGLE   | ) Group Art Unit: 3722          |  |  |  |  |  |
| Applic                   | cation No.: 09/782,915   | ) Examiner: Dana Ross           |  |  |  |  |  |
| Filed: February 13, 2001 |  | ) Confirmation No.: 3193        |  |  |  |  |  |
| For:                     | CUTTING TOOL ADJUSTMENT DEVICE   | )<br>)                          |  |  |  |  |  |
|                          | AMENDMENT/REPLY 1  | FRANSMITTAL LETTER              |  |  |  |  |  |
|                          | ant Commissioner for Patents ngton, D.C. 20231   | RECEIVED DEC 1 2 2002           |  |  |  |  |  |
| Sir:                     |  | TECHNOLOGY CENTER RC700         |  |  |  |  |  |
| E                        | nclosed is a reply for the above-identified p  | atent application.              |  |  |  |  |  |
| [:                       | A Petition for Extension of Time is also enclosed.   |                                 |  |  |  |  |  |
| [                        | A Terminal Disclaimer and a check for [ ] \$55.00 (2814) [ ] \$110.00 (1814) to cover the requisite Government fee are also enclosed.  |                                 |  |  |  |  |  |
| [\                       | /] Also enclosed is <u>Revocation/New Pow</u>  | ver of Attorney .               |  |  |  |  |  |
| [                        | ] Small entity status is hereby claimed.   |                                 |  |  |  |  |  |
| [                        | Applicant(s) request continued examination under 37 C.F.R. § 1.114 and enclose the [] \$370.00 (2801) [] \$740.00 (1801) fee due under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(e).  |                                 |  |  |  |  |  |
|                          | [ ] Applicant(s) previously submitted, on, for which continued examination is requested.   |                                 |  |  |  |  |  |
| [                        | Applicant(s) request suspension of action by the Office until at least _, which does not exceed three months from the filing of this RCE, in accordance with 37 C.F.R. § 1.103(c). The required fee under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(i) is enclosed. |                                 |  |  |  |  |  |
| [                        | A Request for Entry and Consideration of Submission under 37 C.F.R. § 1.129(a) (146/246) is also enclosed.   |                                 |  |  |  |  |  |
| [                        | V] No additional claim fee is required.  |                                 |  |  |  |  |  |
| [                        | ] An additional claim fee is required, and   | d is calculated as shown below: |  |  |  |  |  |

| amended claims   |                  |   |                 |                    |                            |  |
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|  | No. OF<br>CLAIMS | HIGHEST NO. OF CLAIMS PREVIOUSLY PAID FOR | EXTRA<br>CLAIMS | RATE               | ADDT <sup>1</sup> L<br>FEE |  |
| Total Claims   | 20               | MINUS 20 =                                |                 | × \$18.00 (1202) = |                            |  |
| Independent Claims   | 4                | MINUS 4 =                                 |                 | × \$84.00 (1201) = |                            |  |
| If Amendment adds multiple dependent claims, add \$280.00 (1203) |                  |   |                 |                    |                            |  |
| Total Amendment Fee  |                  |   |                 |                    |                            |  |
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| [ | ] | A claim fee in | the amount of \$     | is enclosed. |
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The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any appropriate fees under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.16, 1.17, 1.20(d) and 1.21 that may be required by this paper, and to credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 07-2349. This paper is submitted in duplicate.

Respectfully submitted,

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